

FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2004

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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001	770	2001	385	Utility filing fee	
1002	340	2002	170	Design filing fee	
1003	530	2003	265	Plant filing fee	
1004	770	2004	385	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
	->	=	
Independent Claims	->	=	
Multiple Dependent	X	=	

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Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
1201	86	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	290	2203	145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	88	2204	43	- Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9	-- Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)

*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

Complete if Known	
Application Number	09/888,320
Filing Date	June 22, 2001
First Named Inventor	Barry, Clifton E.
Examiner Name	Sakelaris, Sally
Art Unit	1634
Attorney Docket No.	015260-413100US

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

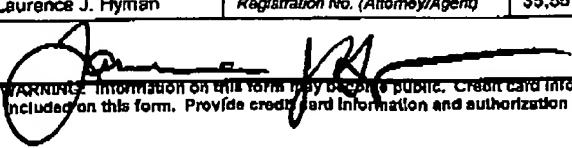
3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
		1051	130	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
		1052	50	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
		1053	130	Non-English specification	
		1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
		1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
		1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
		1251	110	Extension for reply within first month	
		1252	420	Extension for reply within second month	
		1253	930	Extension for reply within third month	
		1254	1,480	Extension for reply within fourth month	1480
		1255	2,010	Extension for reply within fifth month	
		1401	330	Notice of Appeal	
		1402	330	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
		1403	290	Request for oral hearing	
		1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
		1452	110	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
		1453	1,330	Petition to revive - unintentional	
		1501	1,330	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
		1502	480	Design issue fee	
		1503	640	Plant issue fee	
		1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
		1807	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
		1808	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
		8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
		1809	770	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(e))	
		1810	770	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
		1801	770	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
		1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) _____

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3)

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By: Steve Kaderka**PATENT**Attorney Docket No.: 015280-413100US
Client Ref. No.: E-093-2000/0-US-02**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

BARRY et al.

Application No.: 09/888,320

Filed: June 22, 2001

For: METHODS OF DIAGNOSING
MULTIDRUG RESISTANT
TUBERCULOSIS

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 7214

Examiner: Sakelaris, Sally

Technology Center/Art Unit: 1634

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed August 12, 2003 regarding the above-referenced application, please enter the following further amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.